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For: SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING	)	
STORED VALUE INSTRUMENT	)	

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 30, 2009, please amend the application as follows. A Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time and required fees are being filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.